



OCTOBER 6, 2024  
9:30 AM

gathering

## PRELUDE

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CALL TO WORSHIP

*God calls us to live with courage, to forgive as we have been forgiven,  
and to find joy in God's love.*

**We live out God's love because character matters.**

*What flows from our hearts matters to God and to the world around us.*

**We live out God's love because character matters.**

*May our words, and actions, and lives overflow with love, forgiveness,  
and the joy of God.*

**Because character matters.**

## HYMN

PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY

HYMN #848

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

*welcome...we're glad you're here!*

We are so glad that you are here and worshiping God with us today. We know that God loves and welcomes all people and so we do our best to do the same. Feel comfortable being who God created you to be in this space and listen for the ways that the Holy Spirit is calling you to faith and a deeper love for your neighbor. Thanks for joining this community of faith, service, and worship today. You are always welcome!



**SCRIPTURE READING**

LUKE 6:43-45

*Word of God, Word of Life.*

**Thanks be to God.**

**MESSAGE**

*PASTOR JUSTIN ASK*

MARK 7:14-23

**HYMN**

HYMN #807

COME, THOU FOUNT OF  
EVERY BLESSING

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**BAPTISM**

*Cohen Edward Hedke  
Elliott Grace Iverson*

**PRAYERS**

**"I'VE DONE  
EVERYTHING THE  
BIBLE SAYS. EVEN  
THE STUFF THAT  
CONTRADICTS THE  
OTHER STUFF!"**

**-NED FLANDERS**

*At Vinje, we believe all  
people are welcome  
at the Lord's Table  
regardless of any  
circumstance.*

**ANTHEM**

THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD

**OFFERING PRAYER**

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

**COMMUNION**

**HYMN**

LET US BREAK BREAD TOGETHER

HYMN #471

**HYMN**

YOU SATISFY THE HUNGRY HEART

HYMN #484

**BLESSING**

*May you leave this place with the strength of character to live with integrity, the joy that comes from knowing you are loved, the courage to face each day, and the grace to forgive as you have been forgiven. Go in peace and may the love of Jesus guide you.*

**Amen**

**HYMN**

SENT FORTH BY GOD'S BLESSING

HYMN #547

**DISMISSAL**

*Vinje is a community where faith and everyday life come together.  
Together, we belong, we grow, and we serve.*

**POSTLUDE**

## SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

**PASTORS** Justin Ask  
Dane Skilbred

**USHERS** Mark Bredeson  
Kirk Davis

**COMMUNION** Rick & Jody Loseth

**LECTOR** Marilynn Tiede

**MUSICIANS** Tim Burns  
Vinje Choir

**SLIDES** Peggy Karsten

**CAMERAS** Paul Nordin

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## Remember in Prayer

*We would like to check in on you or your loved ones when ill or hospitalized. If you or someone you know is in the hospital please let one of the pastors or the church office know.*

### RECENTLY ILL OR HOSPITALIZED

Linda Saunders, Barry Bakker, Dana Nelson, Betty Dubrosky, Virginia Larson, Sharon Nelson, Sally Peterson, Steve Iverson

### CONTINUED PRAYERS

Trevor Hansen, Lane Leedahl, Troy Pflilbsen, Ted Olson, Bob Glaesman, Merle Berkeland

### NEWLY BAPTIZED

Cohen Edward Hedke, son of Brenden & Carly Hedke. Cohen's baptismal sponsors are Brayden & Sloan Hedke and Eli & Jessica Hulstein.

Elliott Grace Iverson, daughter of Joe & Taylor Iverson. Elliott's baptismal sponsors are Trenton & Tenille Flegel and Justin & Amber Van Eps.



## TOWN HALL MEETINGS

**SUNDAY, NOV 3**

**& WEDNESDAY, NOV 6**

The council will be holding our next Town Hall meetings on Sunday, November 3 after worship and Wednesday, November 6th after worship.

To keep the meeting moving and to be sure we cover topics of importance to the congregation, please submit the topic(s) you would like to council@vinjchurch.com by Monday, October 21st. This will give the council an opportunity to review topics, combine similar items, and be ready for discussion.

## THANK YOU

This week's bulletin broadcast, bus and coffee are sponsored by **in honor of Phyllis Coleman's 85th birthday** on October 10th with gratitude from her family for the Vinje family we've been blessed by over the last 64 years.

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SCAN TO GIVE





## PIZZA WITH THE PASTORS

SUNDAY, OCT 13  
11 AM | ROOM 102  
Are you new to

Vinje? Do you want to learn more about the church? Would you like a chance to get to know your pastors better? Or...do you maybe just like eating pizza with fun people? Please plan to join the pastors for lunch and conversation after worship on October 13!

## Trail of Treats

OCT 31 | 4-5:30 PM  
VINJE SANCTUARY

Get your kiddos in their costumes and join us for our fifth annual Trail of Treats! We'll have a trail of treats and fun set up in the sanctuary for kids to walk through!

If you'd like to contribute towards the purchase of candy and supplies for our Trail of Treats, you can donate on the give link on our website, just note "Trail of Treats" in the "memo" section. Or drop a check with "Trail of Treats" in the memo in the church office or offering plate.



## LUTEFISK & MEATBALL SUPPER

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5 | 3-7 PM

We are excited to announce that the Lutefisk and Meatball Supper will take place on Tuesday, November 5th! Please save the date and plan to join us for this special (and delicious!) Vinje tradition.

## THIS WEEK AT VINJE

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

8:30 AM VINJE CHOIR REHEARSAL  
8:30 AM 0-3 SUNDAY SCHOOL  
9:25 AM KIDS TIME!  
9:30 AM WORSHIP

### MONDAY, OCTOBER 7

12:30 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY  
6:15 PM JUBELLATION  
1-6 PM BLOOD MOBILE

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

9:00 AM TOPS MEETING  
10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

8:30 AM ELIZABETH CIRCLE  
3:30 PM WEDNESDAY LIVE!  
4:45 PM PRE-K WEDNESDAY LIVE!  
5:00 PM SUPPER—PIZZA  
5:25 PM NOVA/SHALOM CHOIR  
6:00 PM WORSHIP  
6:00 PM CONFIRMATION  
6:45 PM HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10

9:00 AM VINJE QUILTERS

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

8:45 AM VINJE CHOIR REHEARSAL  
9:25 AM KIDS TIME!  
9:30 AM WORSHIP  
5:00 PM CONFIRMATION BANQUET

**LIFE CIRCUMSTANCES** ability AGE ethnicity RACE gender identity

AT VINJE LUTHERAN CHURCH, ALL ARE WELCOME, BECAUSE GOD WELCOMES ALL. YOU ARE WELCOME. YOUR FAMILY, CHILDREN, FRIENDS, SPOUSES AND PARTNERS ARE ALL WELCOME. YOUR DIVERSITY, IDEAS, QUESTIONS, AND UNIQUENESS ARE ALL WELCOME.

LANGUAGE sexual orientation



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